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ACUTE





A  
PRETTY  
BLUE...



BLUE...



HE LOOKS  
SO SAD...

I STILL CLEARLY  
REMEMBER THE  
DEEP IMPRESSION  
YOU LEFT ON ME  
THEN

YOU  
APPEARED  
IN MY LIFE



Look,  
this one's  
cute~

BUT I  
WASN'T  
ABLE TO  
APPROACH  
YOU



I WANT  
THIS ONE

YOU ALSO  
ENTERED  
MY LIFE

THANKS TO YOU,  
I'M GROWING FOND OF  
YOU AND EVENTU-  
ALLY APPROACH-  
ING YOU,

AND  
LATER,

YOUR  
BLUE...





YOU WERE  
IN LOVE  
WITH APPLE



BUT I HAVE  
ALWAYS  
LOVED YOU



I ONLY WANTED HER TO BE HAPPY

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WHILE  
KATO WOULD  
BE CLOSE,



AS TIME  
PASSED,  
MY GUILT  
TOWARDS  
NINU IN-  
CREASED

BUT THAT  
WAS THE ONLY  
CHOICE  
I HAD.



OTHERWISE,  
I WOULDN'T  
HAVE BEEN  
ABLE TO COM-  
FORT HIM.



XXXXXXXXXX  
FROM  
THAT AND  
THOUGHTS  
OF NINU  
CLASHED  
IN MY HEAD



I...  
BETRAYED  
YOU..!

I'M  
SORRY,  
ARISE..



THINK IS  
SOMETHING  
I NEED TO  
TELL YOU



ACT-  
UALLY,  
NOPE!

WELL—

Did some-  
thing  
happen?

OH—  
SCREW

I WAS ABOUT  
TO GO COM-  
PLAIN.

You said we could  
go since you didn't  
have anything  
planned today.



I AM  
FINALLY  
DONE!

SO  
THAT'S  
WHY I  
COULDN'T  
GIVE A HELP  
OF YOU  
YESTER-  
DAY

OH—

I AM!



I KNOW

PLEASE



But it's not like  
I wasn't thinking of  
yourself, is it?



Kaito had al-  
ways loved you  
and not any else.

Ever  
since he  
was little...

AND

I DON'T  
KNOW IF  
KAITO HIM-  
SELF WAS  
AWARE OF  
THIS BUT...

PLEASE REALIZE  
THAT AT LEAST  
THIS IS TRUE

EVEN IF  
THINGS ARE  
LATE THIS  
ISN'T NOW



—AND  
THIS,

WHS HAD  
STARTED?  
SAYNG  
STRANGE  
THINGS  
JUST LIKE  
THAT









YOU LIKED  
CUTE THINGS  
AFTER ALL

YOU  
THINK  
SO?

SAY, PAPA,  
DID YOU IN-  
TEND-ERS  
CHANCE?



AND HA-  
VING IT A-  
ROUND MAKING  
ME FEEL  
SAFE.

BUT... I  
REALLY WENT  
THIS ONE

IT'S  
PRETTY.



MEH...





Based on the original manga and anime series.





So I tried  
a bunch of  
things and  
ended up  
being late.

I wanted  
an outfit to  
match this.



It's an en-  
gagement  
ring after all.

I wanted the  
brother Kato  
to be pleased.

MPH IS  
FALLING  
APART



You  
already  
know it  
your-  
self.

Oh.

Silly.



Kaito and I  
got engaged  
that other  
time.

So we  
wanted  
to get it  
just for  
that.

WHAT  
SHOULD  
I DO?



Oh, the other  
day when the  
two of us were  
looking to get  
the ring.

MPH

DON'T KAITO  
BUY YOU THAT  
RING BACK  
IN MIDDLE  
SCHOOL





Don't you think  
we should start  
planning our wed-  
ding and honey-  
moon and such?

Get  
over  
it.

Mmm

Oh, hey.

IT'S MY  
FAULT

I think you  
should get pro-  
perly employed  
before we get  
married.

And  
since  
I'm still  
in high  
school,

and  
you're a  
student,

You'll be  
coming to  
our wedding,  
right?

Oh,  
Luka!



IT'S SO EASY  
FOR US TO GET  
BEHIND YOU, BUT  
THIS IS YOUR  
TOUGH-HEARTED  
MOM.

You  
know.

I can't  
wait!

AM I ONLY  
ABLE TO WATCH  
AS OUR FUTURE  
COLLAPSE BEFORE  
MY EYES?

I'M SCARED.

GOD  
HELP US...!











You don't want  
to worry the Big  
Brother Kato  
right next to  
you, do you?

YOU  
RECKON-  
MY AGE  
NO FLIRT-  
GOOD

OH,  
SEE...

WHY ARE YOU  
TWO TOGETHER  
WITHOUT ME?

W

MY?

IT'S AH...

What?



IT'S OUR  
FAULT THAT WE  
PUSHED MIKU  
THIS FAR...





I WAS  
THAT YOU  
DON'T BE  
HARD ON  
YOURSELF

I WAS  
THAT YOU  
DON'T BE  
HARD ON  
YOURSELF



I AM  
GADY

BEEN IF  
YOU SAY  
THAT



I MIGHT  
WANT FOR  
YOU TO BE  
HAPPY LIKE  
THEY TOO

I'M  
GADY

BUT PLEASE  
BEHOLD IS  
WHAT I WANT  
TO SAY NEXT



LIKE...

I'M THE  
ONE AT  
FAULT



I SHOULD HAVE  
BEEN CLEARER  
FROM THE BEGINNING



YOU ARE THE  
ONLY ONE THAT I  
TRUSTED



AMAS  
IMPORTANT  
TO ME

WHILE  
LOVE  
KATO



I HAVE NO IDEA  
WHAT I SHOULD  
DO





YOU ARE  
THE ONE WHO  
RUINED EVERY  
THING, RIGHT?

EVEN  
SO...







AND THE  
ONE WHO  
BROKE OUR  
PROMISE IS  
ALSO...

YOU...

■  
Those  
poised  
feelings  
were to  
either  
cross  
paths  
again.

IT  
WAS  
FORGIVEN  
YOU

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